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Foch Waits Fall Of St. Quentin

U. S. Ship Torpedoed By U-Boat

BIG STRONGHOLD OF HUNS TOTTERING UNDER BLOWS OF CHIEF COMMANDER OF ALLIES

LONDON, September 11 (11 a. m.)—St. Gobain, the great stretch of wooded high ground that forms one of the chief defenses of the southern end of the Hindenburg line, is now threatened in the rear by the allied advance.

In the outflanking move on St. Quentin slow but sure progress is being made.

Aviators are taking up the offensive where the tanks are hindered by the hail of bombs, similar to the operation conducted by the Americans and French at Fismes on the Aisne front.

A dispatch from Paris quoted Henri Bidou, the famous French military critic, as saying that the Germans will soon learn that there are other vulnerable points on his front.

FRENCH TAKE TRAVECY.

PARIS, September 11.—The village of Travecy, near the southern end of the main Hindenburg line, has been captured by the French, according to reports received here. If the French can hold this town the important enemy position at La Fere, a northerly defense of the St. Gobain massif, two miles south of Travecy, will be virtually outflanked.

BRITISH FORGE AHEAD.

LONDON, September 11.—During last night the British line was advanced slightly in the region of Vermand, northwest of St. Quentin, Field Marshal Haig reported in his official statement today.

The Germans delivered a counter attack in the region of Ecourt-St. Quentin. It was repulsed in stiff fighting.

There was sharp fighting at Gouzeaucourt. The Germans were beaten off except at one point, where one of the British posts remained in enemy possession.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE AISNE, September 11.—American troops on the Aisne River front have again extended their gains, forcing the Germans to retire eastward of the Revillon-Glennes road.

This German retreat followed a bombardment by American batteries and a flareup of activities by American patrols.

However, the Germans still maintain machine-gun nests on the ridge northeast of Mervail and Little Mountain.

The Key to the whole situation, which lies to the northeast of Revillon, is still occupied by the enemy.

BELGIAN RELIEF WORKERS READY FOR NEW CAMPAIGN

The members of the state branch of the National Committee for the relief of Belgium opened their convention yesterday at Mills College and representation from all over the state of California were present and took part in the proceedings. Mrs. W. S. Lucas and Mrs. W. A. Boone, members of the local committee in this city and who have been instrumental in doing a great deal of good work for the people of that unfortunate nation were present at the meeting.

People of international importance in relief work present were M. Drion, Belgian consul at San Francisco; Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California; Mrs. Willoughby Rhodman, chairman of the relief committee of Southern California; Mrs. William Crocker, of San Francisco, who has been foremost in Belgian relief work in the bay section and Mrs. O. L. Elliot, of Palo Alto.

The National Committee which is headed by Herbert C. Hoover, has a large membership in every city in the land from the Atlantic to the Pacific and this committee is extremely active at this time. The membership of the local committee for Belgian relief is to be greatly enlarged to get in readiness for the autumn and winter campaign. These unfortunate people who are deserving of our greatest assistance are in dire want of food and clothing. In this community Mrs. Boone and Mrs. Lucas have been looking after their needs, but the work has grown to such an extent during the past few months that they must have help and the additions to the committee will be selected in a few days, probably by the end of the present week, at which time they will be announced.

RICHMOND CLUB MEMBERS WILL STUDY FRENCH LANGUAGE

Next Monday has been set aside by the Richmond Club for the study of French. A portion of the membership of this popular organization will take up French research and French language. It is civic day and the civic section has also agreed to take a hand in the work of studying the French authors, French history, their folk lore and all matter pertaining to that highly interesting nation.

Few Americans appreciated the French at their true worth until the beginning of the present war. Their magnificent achievements in repelling the Hun terror when a less stouthearted people might have given up to despair, has won the admiration of the entire world and particularly the American people.

Not only will the club women of this city study French literature, but they are going to take up the study of the French language and some of them at least have determined on becoming French scholars—they are going to master the language, so that they may speak it fluently.

Yesterday at the meeting of the club the day was devoted to French authors and French music. Prof. Selkeld, the well known pianist of San Francisco was present and gave the ladies many selections on the piano from well known French authors and there were recitations and reading calculated to impart something of the music and literature of that famous nation—the birthplace and native land of LaFayette, whose memory all true Americans venerate.

The French section will meet next Monday a half hour before the regular meeting of the club for routine business.

DRAFT BOARD ARRANGEMENT TO REGISTER IS COMPLETE

Richmond is in readiness to begin registration tomorrow of the 8000 men of the new 1918 class between the ages of 19 and 45 years. The men themselves, like all others who have been called to the colors before them are anxious to do their duty and they will all be on hand when the registrars are ready to place their names on the rolls of the exemption board.

The government has counted on there being about 8700 men in the second district subject to this latest call, but after Chief Registrar Art Faris had counted the men employed in various portions of the city and contiguous territory and comparing their ages in the poll books, it was found that somebody had made a grave mistake and that in reality there will be more than double of the government estimate.

The work of registering the men in the forty-four precincts in the district will be carried on by a large corps of volunteer workers and it is expected that all questions will be asked and the answers set down long before the hour of closing comes, which is 9 o'clock in the evening.

Each precinct has been provided with every facility to aid the work of handling the men quickly and satisfactorily and there will be no congestion and no long waits for registrants. Ample help has been provided to avoid everything tending toward delay and inconvenience.

RAINFALL IS PREDICTED BY WEATHER MAN

Rainfall in all parts of California in the next 24 hours as a result of a high pressure area in the northern Rocky Mountain region was predicted by George H. Willson, district forecaster of the United States Weather Bureau in San Francisco today. The precipitation will be too slight to affect exposed crops, Willson said. There was a very light rainfall in Richmond and the surrounding territory early today.

The Modern Woodmen are going to give an entertainment at their hall in the Pillow building on Friday evening. There will be moving pictures and speaking and everything will be free. Excellent music is promised.

RUSS CAPITAL IS SWEPT BY FIRE PILLAGED AND LOOTED BY RIOTERS

WASHINGTON, September 11.—That Petrograd is burning with fires raging in twelve different places and that indiscriminate massacres are taking place in the streets of the Russian capital was the word that reached the State Department today.

It came from the American legation at Christiania, which transmitted the report as having been received there from what was accredited as an authoritative source. That was all the information the legation was able to get.

A similar report has reached the department from another source.

It has been said for some time past that Petrograd conditions were very bad. The Bolshevike have been making wholesale arrests and have been executing without trial and without warning all leaders of the factions that are opposed to them. It is believed here that as a result of this drastic action a new revolutionary movement has broken out, and that anarchy not only exists in the capital, but throughout a good part of Russian territory.

Many of the victims of the Bolsheviki have been intellectuals who opposed Solshevik methods and members of the bourgeois class that have been persecuted ever since the coming into power of the Lenine-Trotzky regime. There are a large number of British and French subjects in Petrograd, but most of the Americans thought to be there have been able to make their escape to neutral territory.

ARGENTINA WILL EXPORT WHEAT CROP

BUENOS AIRES, September 11.—Announcement has been made by the ministry of agriculture that Argentina has still available for export 2,000,000 tons of wheat from the last crop and 1,000,000 tons of other cereals. This is in addition to the 2,000,000 tons bought by the entente allies in the grain convention and already shipped.

2000 MEN ARE CALLED FOR TYPISTS

WASHINGTON, September 11.—A call for 2000 men qualified for limited service and capable of working as stenographers and typists was issued today by the provost marshal general. They will entrain September 23, and will come from all states and the District of Columbia.

The number of limited service men called to the colors is approximately 50,000, the provost marshal general's office reported, out of a total so classified of 225,000

AMAZING FEATS PERFORMED BY BRAVE BRITISH AIRMEN

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Tuesday, September 10.—Amazing feats by British airmen during the recent fighting may now be mentioned.

A pilot and observer, returning from a bombing raid, fell behind their formation because of engine trouble and were attacked by Fokkers. The elevator controls were immediately shot away and the observer was badly wounded. But he continued to fight and shot down one Fokker in flames and saw another crash out of control.

By this time all the gasoline tanks had been shot through and the engine hit in several places. All the instruments on the dashboard were smashed by enemy bullets. Both rear guns were jammed and the observer was bleeding badly. The pilot succeeded in getting his machine into a dive and went through a cloud and reached the British lines. The gallant observer was found to have been wounded ten times during the fight.

Attacked by a squadron of enemy airplanes, a lone British scout spun downward, but on the way saw that only one of the enemy was following him, so he came suddenly out of the spin just above a grove of trees and caught the enemy machine crossing in front of him and shot it to the earth, where it burst into flames.

There are many stories, too, of how British airmen swooped back and forth over the German batteries, playing their guns on the enemy until these guns were completely silenced.

Such tactics as these aided materially in making the recent British victories possible. One British scout sailed over an enemy sausage, dived and finished off two German sentry planes, then fired on the sausage, which was being hauled down, and finally dropped two bombs squarely on the winch used in raising and lowering the balloon.

There were many instances where the observer crawled out on the wings and stopped bullet holes in the gas tanks with his fingers, a handkerchief or a glove. One machine had its starboard top and bottom planes broken by anti-aircraft fire. An observer leaned over the side of the fuselage, holding a machine gun in his hands and thus maintained the balance and enabled the airplane to land safely.

Another machine had its gas tank punctured by a bullet and the pilot was wounded in the leg. The fuselage burst into flames, but the observer kept the fire under control with a small extinguisher until the machine was brought to earth, where it blazed up, the observer rescuing the wounded pilot just in time.

There is an increasing number of cases in which the British pilots have attacked enemy night bombers caught in searchlight beams. In every case reported the enemy has been shot down.

28 HUNDRED SOLDIERS ARE RESCUED FROM BOAT ATTACKED BY "TIN SNARK"

AN INLAND REST CAMP IN ENGLAND, Tuesday, September 10.—The majority of the 2800 American soldiers from the troopship which was torpedoed last Friday off the English coast, but was not sunk, and upon which there were no casualties, have arrived here none the worse for their thrilling experience.

The men are finding some consolation for the loss of their vessel in the assurance that the submarine that attacked her suffered far worse fate at the hands of the avenging destroyers which were speedily on the scene hunting the U-boat with depth charges.

[illegible] for the men here the American Red Cross rushed in large quantities of supplies from London.

LONDON, Tuesday, September 10.—A troopship with 2800 American soldiers on board has been torpedoed. All hands were saved. The troopship was beached.

The troopship was a member of a large convoy approaching the English coast. The vessel was torpedoed 200 miles from shore at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

In order to save time, instead of launching the boats the men clambered down ropes to destroyers, which swarmed around the stricken vessel and came close alongside.

This operation was greatly facilitated by the fact that the sea was not rough.

TRANSFER EXPEDITED.

The transfer of the American soldiers from the stricken vessel to escorting British and American torpedo boat destroyers was quickly made without injury to any one.

They all escaped injury when the torpedo exploded and they were soon on their way to British port.

There was no sign of a panic on board and the admirable behavior of the men was especially gratifying to the officers.

Many of the troops came from Chicago and Cleveland and a large percentage of them were factory hands of foreign extraction. Their behavior proved that they had assimilated the true spirit of the American soldier.

Several soldiers told of seeing the German submarine lifted clear out of the water after one of the depth bombs exploded, and then entirely disappear.

SHIP DELAYED.

Something had gone wrong with the troopship's engines which compelled her for a time to lag behind the rest of the convoy, but the trouble had been fixed up and she was fast catching up with the other transports when a torpedo hit her just forward of the engine room.

The vessel at once began to sink by the bow. Many of the soldiers at the time were taking baths. They did not wait to dress but made for the boats hastily lay their hands on. The water was rushing in at such a rate that it was thought the steamer would quickly founder.

To the surprise of most of the soldiers the troopship did not sink. Some means apparently were found to check the inrush of water and she got near enough to the shore to be beached. It is hoped that the vessel ultimately can be saved.

NEW GAS SHELLS OF HUNS HARMLESS

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, September 11 (7 a. m.)—The Germans are using a new type of gas shell. They were first employed against the New Zealanders when salvos were fired at short range. Several hundred projectiles, the size of oranges, rained thick over an area of about two acres.

According to the army reports they "gave off gas and burned the grass."

Apparently the first experiment was a failure and the New Zealanders were only amused at what they termed the "fruit barrage."

IMPORTANT MEETING.

An important Conference of Sunday School workers of the First Baptist church and the Point Sunday school was held at the Point Baptist church last night. A large attendance was present.

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Not only should the goods and labor of the nation be conserved for the prosecution of the war; the credit of the nation must be conserved for the same purpose.

This is being impressed upon the banks, and it should be impressed upon the people, too—the Reserve borrowers from banks.

All of the banks of the country are being urged by the Federal Reserve Board to curtail their loans. They are urged to loan money only where the borrower is going to use it in some way that will aid in or contribute to winning the war.

This policy is not aimed at hampering legitimate business. It aims to help win the war, which is the best thing possible for business. It simply means that money wanted for non-essential purposes should be refused. Let the non-essentials wait until the war is finished. The government needs the money to carry on the war. The farmers, the men and the industries engaged in war work or engaged in producing things needed for the efficiency both of our soldiers and of our home people, need the credit to carry on their enterprises.

Merchants should not borrow money to stock up on luxuries or things that the people should not buy at this time.

Nor should they borrow money now to spend needlessly or extravagantly. Unnecessary building, unneeded articles and unessential enterprises should all await the ending of the war.

The Federal Reserve Board points out that in the interest of successful government financing it would be much better for the banks to hold credit within reasonable bounds by intelligent cooperation rather than to discourage borrowing by charging high interest rates. The people should co-operate with the government and the banks in this policy of conserving credit and curtailing borrowing except where the money, directly or indirectly, helps to win the war, helps our soldiers who are risking their lives for our country.

TWO CLASSES OF PEOPLE.

After the war there will be two classes of citizens; those who will pay taxes and draw interest, and those who will pay taxes.

In which class will you come?

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With the opening of the Fourth Liberty Loan, September 28th, America's stay-at-homes will have a new opportunity to decide the question. In which class will you come?

The stuff you buy at the drug store, dear lady, may give you the look of youth, but cosmetics can't give you the look of innocence.

The government has called for women meat inspectors, whose duties will be to make inspections of packing house products and both the plants and stations. This is to be commended, for women ought to know more about meats than men for the reason that most of them know the good from the bad through experience in cooking.

Kermet Roosevelt has been decorated with the Military Cross, and it is now in order for some fool editor to say he probably bought it at a second-hand store.

The new shade for autumn is henna-brown. There are some women who won't have to carry samples of cloth to match the goods, either.

The people you wish to get acquainted with are always a disappointment after you get acquainted with them.

To each whipping a child gets "for its own good," it gets ten to relieve the grouch of the

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The belief of the drafted man as to what universal service means is indicated by the story of the draftees who passed a graveyard while on their way to camp in a railroad train. One of them thrust his head through the car window and shouted, "Get up, you slackers, and fight for your country!"

A preacher says the cigarette-smoking type of a man "should be shunned by the girls." This probably accounts for the fact that our boys in khaki, 99 per cent of whom smoke cigarettes, are so unpopular with the women folk.

The Germans, for disciplinary effect, are shooting every tenth man in some of their reluctant battalions. The Allies are not quite so conservative when they come in contact with a German battalion.

A million Swiss watches have been ordered for the United States Army; but it this a fair substitute for the once plentiful, if perforated, cheese we used to get from that country?

A contemporary says that after the war the world will be puzzled over what to do with Lenine and Trotzky. But the Allies will not be puzzled over what to do to them.

Man's greatest weakness is his desire to feel that he is made of a little better clay than other men.

Aristocracy could become a permanent fixture if it would learn to keep its morals as clean as its linen.

A good book agent knows that the sale is made when he says that they are unexpurgated.

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OCTOBER TO BE DATE FOR CALL OF NEW CLASS

WASHINGTON, September 11.—Provost Marshal General Crowder announced today that the first call to the colors of men who register tomorrow will include men in the 19 and 20 year old classes and in the classes from 32 to 36 years, inclusive. Questionnaires will go first to registrants within these specified age limits, and the local boards will be ordered to classify them first in readiness for calls beginning in October.

Young men in the 19 and 20 year old classes, General Crowder said, will be accepted for induction into the students' army training corps, but he pointed out that the authorized strength of this corps is only 150,000 men, whereas the total number of registrants below 20 will be more than 3,000,000.

The general pointed out that the total number of fit men expected from the classes over 32 was 601,000, and repeated the statement that class 1 of men now registered would be almost exhausted by October 1.

General Crowder also issued an appeal to employers to assist in the presentation of claims for occupational exemptions and declared that no estimates could be made as to the number of older men who ought to be so exempted.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete Registration of Voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on Oct. 5th, 1918.

No person will be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may reigster with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 1st, 1918.

J. M. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:

A. C. Faris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 184 Washington avenue, Richmond.
George K. Drew, 114 Washington avenue, Richmond.
L. K. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.
Miss Nannie L. Nesbit, 632 Bissell avenue, Richmond.
J. A. Deadrich, City Hall, Richmond.
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott, 635 South 20th street, Richmond.
J. D. Cryan 321 6th street, Richmond.
James M. Stewart, Standard Oil Co., Richmond.
Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.
R. A. Hays, 2262 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
A. H. Mackinnon, El Cerrito.
W. H. Williams, Giant.
Frank Conlon, El Cerrito.
C. W. Adams, El Cerrito.
George Valenela, San Pablo.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1917-1918

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1917-1918, and that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the THIRD MONDAY IN OCTOBER, and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock P. M., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, NEXT at six o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That all real property will be payable on and after the

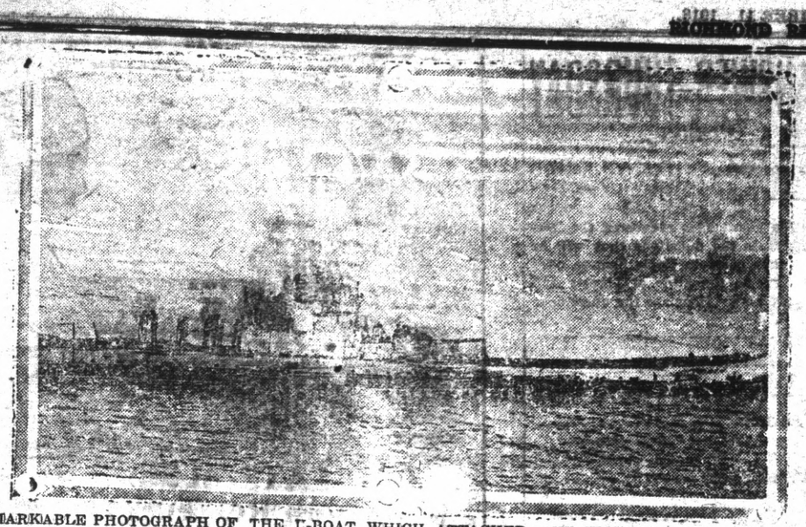
FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY NEXT,

and will be delinquent on the LAST MONDAY IN APRIL next thereafter, at six o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector in the Courthouse at Martinez, County Seat of said county.

MARTIN W. JOOST,
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.



REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH OF THE U-BOAT WHICH ATTACKED AND STOPPED S. S. AMSTERDAM TAKEN FROM THE DECK OF THE LINER.—This new remarkable and unpublished photo shows the U-boat which attacked and stopped the liner off the coast of Norway. The U-boat is equipped with a wireless which can be plainly seen. The chief officers of the liner are on the deck of the submarine submitting to a search of the ship's papers.
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"CHERRY'S TRUSTED ME FOR A FALL WARDROBE, MAY

"I heard from some of the girls that Cherry's were receiving new Fall apparel. Yesterday I went up, and, sure enough, they had the new styles on display. I didn't intend to buy, only looking around, you know. But, Mae, the suits were so pretty that I decided on mine then and there. Of course, I'm not going to wear it for a week or two yet, but I'LL have it ready when the right time comes. The money part of it didn't bother me in the least, either, for two reasons: In the first place, you don't have to pay right away at Cherry's; only a little each week. In the second place, the price was so reasonable that it wouldn't have been a big outlay even if I had to pay all at once. They have two stores in Oakland—a women's shop at 515 13th, and a men's store at 528 14th."—Advertisement.

CALIFORNIA MAN GAINS 18 POUNDS

Smith Feels Like New Man Since Taking Tanlac—Suffered Thirty Years.

One of the strongest and most convincing evidences of the popularity of Tanlac throughout America is the large number of letters that are being received daily from well known men and women, telling of the remarkable results they have derived from its use.

Among the many received in the past few days is one from John Smith, 213 Eighth Street, Richmond, California, which is especially interesting. Mr. Smith states that he had suffered for twenty years, with his stomach, liver and kidneys, and had reached the point where he wished each breath would be the last. He also says that when he began taking Tanlac he weighed only one hundred and forty-eight pounds, but that he now weighs one hundred and sixty-six—making a gain of eighteen pounds—and that he feels like a new man. Following is his letter in full:

"To whom it may concern: "I, the undersigned, can truthfully say that the wonderful medicine known as Tanlac has done more for me in thirty days time, than any other medicine I have ever taken before in all my life. I have been a sufferer from stomach, liver and kidney troubles for twenty years. I have taken six bottles of Tanlac, and today I feel like a new man.

"Before I started using Tanlac it didn't make any difference what I would eat or drink, it distressed me so much that I wished the next breath would be my last. Also when I started taking this wonderful medicine I only weighed one hundred and forty-eight pounds. Today I weigh one hundred and sixty-six pounds — have gained eighteen pounds already—and am still gaining. Also before taking Tanlac I couldn't sleep either night or day, but now I average about nine hours steady sleep and I have an appetite like a horse. I am now fifty years of age and I can't praise Tanlac too much for what it has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Richmond by F. B. Lamoine, in Antioch by H. J. Shuman, in Crockett by J. Civiletti, in Pittsburg by Regal Pharmacy, and in Pinole by E. K. & H. Dunlap.—Advertisement.

COWNER SAYS DISPLAY FLAG

Provost Marshal General Crowder has sent out word throughout the nation that he wants every flag flying and every band in the land playing tomorrow in honor of Registration Day, and Richmond is going to heed the admonition.

The Marine Band of Mare Island will be here tomorrow and they are going to play here during the entire day and will visit all portions of the city. It is one of the best bands in the United States and will be unstinting with their music tomorrow. The band will arrive in the city at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and will stop at the Point and play for the people over there for an hour or two and then will come to Macdonald avenue and spend the remainder of the day here.

While they are in the city Richmond will provide entertainment for the band boys and they will leave for home after they have completed the day's work.

The work of registration will be finished by 9 o'clock and after that time the boys will pack up their instruments and there will be the tug waiting for them to take them up to Mare Island.

SOCIOLOGICAL FILM FEATURE AT THEATRE

SOCIOLOGICAL

The Atlantic Distributing Corporation is responsible for "Nine-tenths of the Law," which has Mitchell Lewis featured and which is manufactured for the screen as the state rights proposition. The picture is showing today and tomorrow at the Richmond Theatre.

There is nothing wrong with this picture from any angle; the story is admirably played by a strong cast and most consistently acted throughout. The scenario holds well from the start and has a twist at the finish that enables the director to give the story a happy final that is bound to meet heart approbation anywhere.

SON OF CHARLES E. HUGHES, A SECOND LIEUTENANT IN FRANCE. In this happy gathering are depicted Charles E. Hughes, ex-governor of New York State and defeated candidate for President. He is shown in this photo with his wife and two children. He is a Second Lieutenant in France and is instructor at the Summer Artillery School.
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All the home news and excellent telegraphic news reports found in the Record Herald.

MERCHANTS WILL KEEP OPEN.

The business men of the city will keep their places of business open tomorrow the same as usual. We have had one holiday this week, which is about all the traffic and the public can stand. The butcher shops will close after the noon hour for a short time, but the stores will all be open the same as usual.

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"WE HAVE THE KAISER GROGGY, HIT HIM HARD" SAYS M'ADOO IN MESSAGE

"We have the Kaiser groggy—let us keep hitting hard until he is counted out."

That was the fighting message which Director General William G McAdoo of the United States Railroad Administration sent to every employee of the railroads under federal control yesterday.

It came in a militant call to every man and woman to enlist in full in the fourth Liberty Loan, and it was posted in the United States Railroad Administration headquarters in the Southern Pacific building, in the Santa Fe and Western Pacific offices and spread over the systems to the attention of thousands of employees who caught the spirit of the vernacular.

Director General McAdoo put a real punch in his call.

Here are some more of his trenchant sentences:

"One and a half million of our splendid boys are in France, and they have given the Kaiser a dose from which he is staggering and from which he will not recover.

"The enormous sums required to finance democracy's part in the war impose a new duty upon each and every one of us.

"Liberty Bonds must be offered from time to time until the Kaiser is licked to a finish."

Here is what Director General McAdoo puts in his official notice to the army of railroad men and women under the Federal Railroad Odministration:

"Railroad men and women are doing a vital service for their country. They responded patriotically to the appeal of the government in the first, second and third Liberty Loan campaigns, and I hope that they have bought liberally of war savings stamps. They also are operating the railroads, which is war service of primary importance. I am sure that they count it a glorious privilege to do this vital work for their country. I deeply appreciate what they already have done, but there is more to do, and I am sure that they will do more if the way is pointed out to them."

SCENE FROM "NINE-TENTHS OF THE LAW."
At the Richmond Theater Wednesday and Thursday.

STATE ENGINEER GETS NEW ROAD WORK ORDER

SACRAMENTO, September 11.—A. B. Fletcher, State Highway engineer, this afternoon announced that he has received from the United States Highways Council at Washington, D. C., definite instructions with reference to the policy and procedure as to highway and street work, during the period of the war.

This new order, effective today, specifies that the following procedure must be followed:

All proposed highway, street, culvert and bridge construction, reconstruction and maintenance involving the issuance of bonds, the use of rail or water transportation, the use of coal or oil as fuel, or the use of cement, brick, asphalt, oil, tar, crushed stone or steel (also sand and gravel, where shortage exists) as highway material should first be submitted for approval to the United States Highway Council, through the appropriate State Highway Department.

Forms have been prepared for this purpose, and a supply placed with each State Highway Department.

No manufacturer will furnish any road building material until the project has been approved by the United States Highways Council.

The regulations urge that new highway and street construction be confined to the most essential needs.

Highways and streets of military or national economic value will be given first consideration by the council.

Highways of military and economic value are defined as follows:

(A) A highway of military value is one used regularly for the transportation of military supplies in considerable quantity for the movement as an established practice of army truck trains, or which is essential to the efficient operation of a military cantonment, post or plant.

(B) A highway of national economic value is one which serves, or will serve if properly improved, directly to promote the welfare of the nation, and not merely the local welfare.

LUTHERAN LADIES' AID.

The Scandinavian Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Jacks, 515 Nevin street, Friday at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Come and get acquainted.

Classified Ads placed in the they "shoot straight."

CITY COUNCIL HANDLES MUCH ROUTINE WORK FOR PEOPLE

The meeting of the city council last night was a long drawn out affair and but little was accomplished, except the burning of midnight oil.

Mayor Lane was absent from the city last night and City Clerk Faris called the meeting to order and Councilman Garrard was elected mayor pro-tem to preside at the meeting.

H. D. Chapman, city engineer and superintendent of streets, was granted a two weeks' leave of absence and while he is away on his vacation his assistant, Engineer Martin, will take his place and keep up the business of the office.

The Southern Pacific notified the council by letter that in the future all work for the company amounting to over $500 must first be approved by the Southern Pacific before any payment can be exacted. This is taken to apply to any street assessment which may be made by the city wherein the railroad company is involved.

It appears that M. S. Green, of San Pablo, who is the owner of a band of sheep which have been grazing on the Andrade tract near that place, has been notified by somebody to remove them to some other locality. David A. Stacker, secretary of the Food Administration requests that he be permitted to graze his sheep there on account of the food conditions of the country. The chief of police was instructed to find out conditions and report on the same.

The improvement of Beck street in the Pullman section of the city was accepted by the city engineer and so reported to the council.

It appears that the reported sales of liquor to uniformed army and navy men by certain saloon keepers was not justified by the facts, according to the chief of police. He stated that soldiers and sailors had been securing liquor, but not from saloons. He said as near as could be ascertained the liquor was furnished the men by a young draft registrant, whose identity could not be ascertained by the police.

The city council is going to assist the merchants and business men of the city in the matter of advertising the next Liberty Loan and agreed to give something toward running page advertisements in the local papers. Just how much will be given toward that end cannot be determined until the finance committee can be consulted in the matter.

The police department reported that $180 had been collected during the month of August in fines and bail forfeitures.

Meat inspection fees collected during the month of August by the sanitary department of the Health office amounted to $40.50.

Tax Collector I. E. Marshall reported that he had collected in taxes and licenses from various sources during the past month the sum of $880.02.

Permits for buildings of the aggregate value of $37,644 were issued by the building inspector's office during the month of August, according to the report filed by the head of that department of the city government.

City Attorney Hall is going to Riverside on the 15th of the present month to attend a meeting of city attorneys at that place.

The fire chief requested that all condemned buildings in the city be forthwith removed by the owners and he requested that the city notify the owners to that effect.

Whenever it is ascertained that the Murphy tent show is not a traveling concern and will remain in the city permanently that concern will be given the benefit of a local institution. Beginning next Monday evening it will be placed on a basis of $20 for the first night, $10 for the second night and $5 for the third night and the latter sum for every night thereafter. Mr. Murphy declares that he is desirous of coming to Richmond to remain, if the council makes it possible for him to do so. He has a good show, according to reports and the council is willing to give him the benefit of the doubt. If he stays in Richmond he will be placed on the basis of permanent shows and if he don't then he will have to take the consequences. An ordinance was introduced last night in accordance with the above.

H. D. Chapman, city engineer submitted plans and specifications for improvement of certain streets in the Syndicate Tract, having attached thereto request of Walter R. and Stella C. Lovegrove for said improvement.

Today at 10 o'clock in the Oakland City Hall there was a meeting of the City and Railroad Commission on water rates. Many people interested were present. Judge Hall represented the City of Richmond.

The City Auditor made the following report for August: General fund, $50,242.88; library fund, $1,122.21; compensation insurance fund, $4,460.05; redemption fund, $1,602.41; harbor improvement, $33,623.66; tunnel and highway improvement, $6,627.32m municipal improvement fund, $91,830.53.

QUESTIONS YOU'LL ANSWER THURSDAY

(Repeated by request)

The officers of the local exemption board have requested the Record-Herald to inform prospective registrants the questions they will be expected to answer on Thursday when they come to Uncle Sam to offer their services and their life, if necessary, on the altar of Liberty and the right of humanity to peace and happiness. Here are the questions:

1. Name in full .....
2. Permanent Home Address .....
3. Age in years .....
4. Date of birth .....
5. White .....
6. Negro .....
7. Oriental .....
8. Citizen .....
9. Non-citizen .....

(State whether U. S. citizen or alien)

10. Native born .....
11. Naturalized .....
12. Citizen by father's naturalization before registrant's majority .....
trant's majority .....
13. Declarant .....
14. Non-declarant .....
15. If not a citizen of the U. S. of what nation are you a citizen or subject .....
16. Present occupation .....
17. Employer's name .....
18. Place of employment or business .....
19. Nearest relative .....
20. Address of nearest relative .....

I affirm that I have verified above answers and that they are true.

Registrant's signature .....

By filling in the proper answers to the above list of questions, signing same and handing in to your registrar on next Thursday, you will save a lot of time for yourself and the members of the precinct board.

MASCOT OF BATTLEFRONT BROUGHT HERE WOUNDED.—Frenchie, the veteran of the trenches, getting expert attention at General Hospital No. 6, Fort McPherson. Holding him is Sergeant Cohen, invalided soldier, Frenchie's temporary proprietor, and dressing one of Frenchie's wounds is Miss Mae Burkley, U. S. War Nurse.
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BELGIUM CELEBRATES INDEPENDENCE DAY.—Independence Day was honored by Belgium in which the entire Belgium army turned out to pay homage to the American flag. Here is shown the chief of the American Mission attached to the Belgium Army inspecting the troops. (c) Underwood & Underwood.

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

MITCHELL LEWIS
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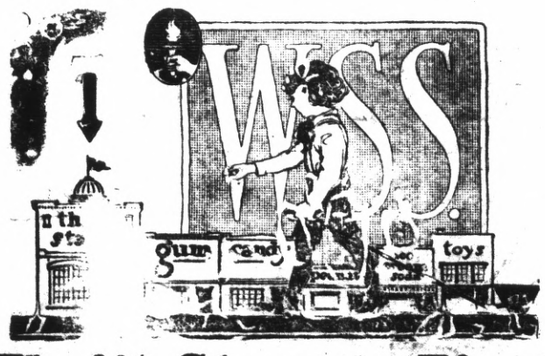
NOTICE TO KNITTERS

Ladies who are knitting sweaters for the Red Cross are requested to finish their work and turn it in to headquarters on or before the 12th of the present month. This work is to be sent off on that date and it must be at the headquarters before closing time in the evening.

The local Red Cross Chapter has demands from the State Chapter for this work and it positively must be finished by the time stated above.



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